

Conference

Security and Humanity in the First World War. The Treatment of Civilian 'Enemy Aliens' in the Belligerent States

German Historical Institute London, 11 – 13 April 2019

Programme

Thursday 11 April 2019

- 1.30 pm Arrival and Registration
- 2.00 pm *Welcome and Introduction*
Michael Schaich (German Historical Institute London) / Arnd
Bauerkämper (Freie Universität Berlin)
- 2.30 pm *Keynote Speech (Chair: Arnd Bauerkämper, Freie Universität Berlin)*

Jost Dülffer (University of Cologne)
Warfare, Humanity and Emotions in the Great War
- 3.30 pm *Section 1: Problems and Dimensions (Chair: Felix Brahm, German
Historical Institute London)*

Tammy M. Proctor (Utah State University, Logan / Utah)
Defining Civilians in the First World War: Experiences and Treatment

André Keil (University of Sunderland)
Civilian 'Enemy Aliens' in International Law
- 5.00 pm Coffee Break

5.30 pm Daniela L. Caglioti (University of Naples)
Property Rights in Pieces: the War on Enemy Property in Europe and the United States during the First World War

Heather Jones (University College London)
The Wartime Principle of Reciprocity: Reprisals and the Evolution of the Treatment of Civilian Internees in Europe in the First World War

7.30 pm Dinner

Friday 12 April 2019

Section 2: Civilian 'Enemy Aliens' in Belligerent States in Europe (Chair: Falko Schnicke, German Historical Institute London)

9.30 am Panikos Panayi (De Montfort University Leicester):
Germanophobia, Security or Perhaps Fair Play: The German Community in First World War Britain

Lukas Keller (Freie Universität Berlin):
Civilian Internees and the "Racial Question".
Public Discourse and Prisoner Administration in World War I Germany

11.00 am Coffee Break

11.30 am Matthew Stibbe (Sheffield Hallam University)
Security and Visions of the Future of the Dual Monarchy: The Habsburg Empire's Treatment of 'Enemy Aliens' and 'Internal Enemies', 1914-1918

Eric Lohr (American University Washington)
Russian Empire

1.00 pm Lunch

2.00 pm *Section 3: Civilian 'Enemy Aliens' in Neutral States in Europe (Chair: Michael Schaich, German Historical Institute London)*

Wim Klinkert (University of Amsterdam)
The Netherlands

Susan Barton (De Montfort University Leicester)
From the Hell of Imprisonment to the Heavenly Alps – Wounded and Sick Military and Civilian Prisoners Interned in Switzerland, 1916-1919

3.30 pm Coffee Break

Section 4: Civilian 'Enemy Aliens' in the Non-European World (Chair: Tobias Becker, German Historical Institute London)

4.00 Jörg Nagler (University of Jena)
Control and Internment of Enemy Aliens in the United States during the First World War

Gerhard Fischer (University of New South Wales, Sydney)
Internment, War Aims and the Rule of Law in Australia during the First World War

Stefan Manz (Aston University Birmingham)
Internment Conditions in the British Empire: Humanitarianism at Work?

7 pm Dinner

Saturday 13 April 2019

Section 5: Humanitarian Engagement (Chair: Sven-Oliver Müller, Universität Tübingen)

9.30 am Daniel Roger Maul (University of Oslo)

The British Quakers and Aid to Enemy Aliens 1914-1919

Davide Rodogno (Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies, Geneva):

The International Committee of the Red Cross

11.00 am Coffee Break

Outlook: Internment in the Second World War (Chair: Sven-Oliver Müller, Universität Tübingen)

11.30 am Rachel Pistol (University of Exeter)

Second World War Internment in the United Kingdom and the USA:
Lessons Learnt?

Conclusion (Chair: Arnd Bauerkämper, Freie Universität Berlin)

12.30 pm David Stevenson (London School of Economics and Political Science)

1.30 pm End of Conference